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Applicant: Bostwick *et al.*

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Title: GNAL SPLICE VARIANT AND USES THEREOF

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RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS

Sir:

This response is being filed in response to the Notification of Missing Requirements mailed 14 February 2007 for the above-identified U.S. National Stage application.

Remarks

The additional claim fees and the fee for late submission of the executed declaration, as required by the Notice, are provided herewith.

The executed declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §1.497(a) and (b) is provided herewith.

Applicants also submit herewith a copy of the Sequence Listing in computer readable form. In compliance with 37 C.F.R. §1.821(f), the information recorded in the computer readable form is identical to the paper copy of the Sequence Listing. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.821(g), the Sequence Listing submitted herewith does not add new matter to the application.

Conclusion

Applicants submit that they have complied with the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. §371 and with the Sequence Listing Rules, and that the application is ready for substantive review. The Examiner may call the undersigned at 302-885-9129, if a telephonic interview would be helpful.

Respectfully submitted,

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